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FM USMISSION USBERLIN
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6296
AMEMBASSY BONN

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PGOV, WB, GW
SUBJECT: PRESS INQUIRY RE BDC

1. BONN OFFICE AP HAS ASKED PAO TO COMMENT ON STATEMENT
ALLEGEDLY MADE BY SPD SOURCE IN BONN TO EFFECT THAT FRG
SHOULD TAKE OVER OPERATION OF BERLIN DOCUMENT CENTER
(BDC), BUT WILL NOT DO SO BECAUSE OF EMBARRASSMENT
ITS CUSTODY WOULD CAUSE RE NAZI RECORDS OF PROMINENT PEOPLE
IN PUBLIC LIFE.

2. THIS IS REALLY A BONN STORY, AND IT MIGHT BE BEST FOR
EMBASSY TO RESPOND, SINCE ONLY NEGOTIATIONS WITH FRG HAVE
TAKEN PLACE IN BONN. WE WOULD SUGGEST A SIMPLE STATEMENT
THAT WE DECLINE TO COMMENT ON QUESTIONS RELATING TO MOTIVA-
TIONS OF FRIENDLY GOVERNMENTS. GEORGE

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Message Attributes

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